



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Cagle et al.

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For: "The Use of an Anti-Allergy Agent and a Steroid  
To Treat Nasal Conditions"

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER**  
**37 CFR 1.136 (a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)**

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Dear Sir:

A three month extension of the period for response to the outstanding Official Action dated July 14, 2005, is hereby requested; the extended period for response will expire on January 14, 2006.

Please charge the \$1,020.00 extension fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 501051. A duplicate copy of this letter is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 501051.

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